

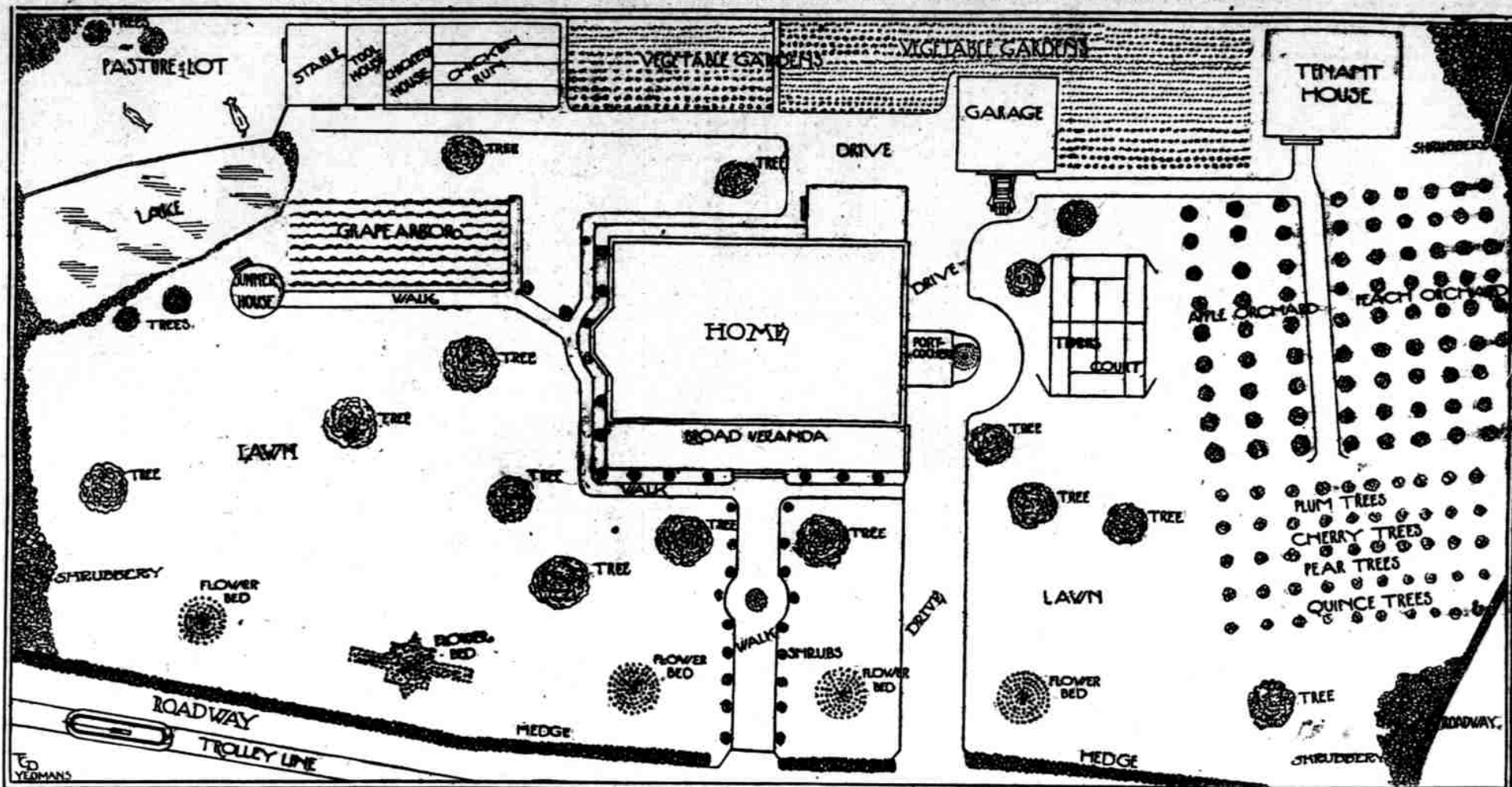
One to Five Acres in BRADLEY HILLS
at the Price of the Average City Lot!

BRADLEY HILLS

—Washington's Most Beautiful Suburb
—30 Minutes from the Heart of the City
—Fronting on a 100-Foot Boulevard

—One of the best opportunities ever offered those desiring A REAL HOME. Study the plan below for a five-acre Villa Site—then come in and talk it over with us. Our automobiles are at your disposal. Phone Main 4081.

—The Entrance to BRADLEY HILLS is at Corner of Bradley Lane and Wisconsin Avenue Northwest.



A Suggestion for a 5-Acre Villa Site in BRADLEY HILLS.

EXCLUSIVE
AGENTS

REAL ESTATE TRUST COMPANY 1414 F STREET
PHONE MAIN 4081

CHESAPEAKE BEACH RAILWAY IS SOLD?

Rumor Says Washington, Baltimore
and Annapolis Line Is the
Purchaser.

HISTORY OF THE ROAD

The Chesapeake Beach Railway has been sold by the Moffat estate to the Washington, Baltimore and Annapolis Electric Railroad Company. It was reported at Baltimore last night.

That the Chesapeake Beach Railway had been sold was stated without qualification in dispatches from Baltimore to The Washington Herald, but the identity of the purchaser was said not to have been officially made public. Reports of the sale could not be confirmed here.

The dispatches stated that the sale of the railway had been consummated by the efforts of J. E. Gittings, of the Maryland Trust Company, and one or two associates.

Mr. Gittings spent a great deal of time and effort about two years ago in endeavoring to merge the Chesapeake Beach, Washington, Baltimore and Annapolis, and unimproved Drum Point line into one corporation, but did not succeed.

Stormy Career.

The Chesapeake Beach Railway runs from Chesapeake Beach, Md., about two miles out of Washington, to Chesapeake Beach, Md., and is 36.5 miles long, including 4.5 miles between Hyattsville and Chesapeake Junction, where it uses the Baltimore and Ohio tracks.

The career of the company has been stormy. It was incorporated March 7, 1896, in Maryland. As successor to the Washington and Chesapeake Beach Railway it was sold under foreclosure December 18, 1906, and purchased by D. H. Moffat, of Denver, who, when he died recently, had extensive railway and other interests in and around Washington.

In December, 1910, Mr. Moffat brought suit in the Federal Court, at Baltimore, to recover from the former owners the sum of \$64,112.

The capital stock of the company is \$1,000,000, while the bonded debt consists of \$1,000,000 first gold bonds, dated January 1, 1908, due July 1, 1923.

Earnings for the year ended June 30, 1910, showed a deficit of \$17,963.

Strong efforts have been made to sell the road for some time, in an effort to settle the Moffat estate.

COUNTERFEITER IS ARRESTED.

John C. Hoffman, Old Offender, Is Taken Into Custody at Mobile.

News of the arrest at Mobile, Ala., of John C. Hoffman, who has a counterfeiting record of thirty years, has served nearly ten prison sentences and taught dozens of other persons the art of counterfeiting, was received by the Secret Service yesterday. When Hoffman was a prisoner at the Western Penitentiary, in Pittsburgh, some years ago, he taught a number of the convicts how to counterfeit.

He was arrested first on September 4, 1902, in Randolph County, Mo., and sentenced to three years. In 1907 he was arrested at Gloucester, N. J., and served a prison term in New Jersey. Subsequently, he was arrested in 1909 in Philadelphia and sentenced to ten years. He was sent to the Western Penitentiary, but later was transferred to Atlanta. Just after his release in March of this year, counterfeit coins began to appear in Philadelphia and Baltimore, which bore the earmarks of his work. Victims identified his photograph as the man who had passed the coins, but he disappeared and the Secret Service lost all track of him.

About a month ago the same sort of coins began to appear in the vicinity of Mobile. Secret Service operatives were sent to Mobile and the arrest followed.

Defer Action in Dominions.

Officials of the State Department are awaiting further advice from the Dominican Republic before deciding what action shall be taken for the purpose of restoring order in that country. The commanding officer of the gunboat Petrol and Minister Russell will confer at Santo Domingo City in a few days, and it is believed much will depend upon their conclusions. The Petrol has been for some time in the vicinity of Puerto Plata, on the north side of the island, where the revolutionary disturbances have centered thus far.

Chesapeake Beach to Close.

The season at Chesapeake Beach will be closed to-night. To-day's programme of attractions has been made unusually interesting, it was stated yesterday, and one of the largest crowds of the season is expected at the Beach. The attendance yesterday was over 2,500.

Can't Fire Coachmen.

Rule 12 of the classified service rules provides that the drivers of carriages for government officers from the President down, cannot be dismissed, even by the President, until they have been presented with a copy of the charges to which they may reply. The President is powerless to fire his own coachman.

THOMAS E. WILL URGES HOME RULE

Secretary of District Suffrage League
Speaks at "People's Forum"
on Taxation.

SELF-GOVERNMENT DEMAND IS INCREASING, HE DECLARES

Few Fight Plan, He Says, Using
Half-and-half Proposal
for a Weapon.

Thomas E. Will, secretary of the District of Columbia Suffrage League, addressed a large crowd at the "People's Forum," Eighth Street and Pennsylvania Avenue Northwest, last night on home rule for the District. He made a similar speech at Eighth Street and Pennsylvania Avenue Southeast, and at each meeting distributed copies of the report made by Representative Henry George on the systems of taxation and assessment in the District.

"The demand is increasing for local self-government in the District," said Mr. Will. "This demand has time and again been fought and killed by the few interested in maintaining the present autonomy."

"The favorite weapon of these few is the plea for the half-and-half system of taxation."

"The argument is that the whole people of the District benefit by this system, and that if it were impaired the whole people would correspondingly suffer."

"Their next step is to accuse, however falsely, the advocates of local self-government of hostility to the payment by the government of a substantial share of the District expenses, and to demand, therefore, that these advocates be destroyed."

Laid Out for Capital.

"The city of Washington was laid out not for the accommodation of a handful of villagers in a marsh, but for the capital of a great nation. The enormous superficial area of its streets and the vast extent of Federal property interests here forbid the idea that the government should play the deadhead, and compel local people to pay not only their own local expenses, but the local expenses of the nation as well. Were such a proposal presented to the American people, they would overwhelm it with an avalanche of 'noes.'"

"This point, I believe, Congress appreciates; and, if not answered by further aggression by the local interests, such as have been exposed by the George report, I believe it will act accordingly."

"What do I mean by Congress being angered by further aggression by the local interests?"

"The George report shows that \$14,000,000 worth of real property in the District—more than half—dodging taxation. Is such a discovery likely to mollify a critical Congress?"

Is Highly Anxious.

"The same report shows that the property of the poor and of the middle class is highly assessed, and that the property

of the wealthy is assessed at a figure ridiculously low.

"In a word, rich people are dodging their taxes and compelling poor people to pay them."

"The powers that prey may be relied upon to resist every effort either to enlighten or to emancipate the people."

"But we are living in a new era. The days of boss rule and plunder are passing. Our local exploiters have lost control of the House. Their days of influence in the Senate are numbered."

"The people of Washington should appeal to Congress and the country for political emancipation; and, at the same time, for the continuance of such Congressional appropriations toward the expenses of the Capital City as the vast interests here of the whole American people make proper."

WOMAN SOLE HEIR.

Miss Madge Arrowsmith, of London, England, and Nome, Alaska, now living at 225 Vermont Avenue Northwest, is sole beneficiary in the will of John E. Risley, an aged lawyer, who died a month ago. The will was filed in Probate Court yesterday. The estate amounts to \$100,000, consisting chiefly in a claim against the government.

Miss Arrowsmith, who is named in the will as "my friend," acted as a companion to the aged attorney, and helped him in his work, upon one occasion accompanying him to Alaska. She is a trained scientist, and her knowledge of geology and engineering was of great value to him.

There is said to be little opposition to the claim, which is for services rendered the government, and the woman will in all probability obtain the bequest.

ANOTHER SWINDLE FOUND.

Long List Is Being Compiled Against Henry A. Eaves.

Another swindle was added last night to the long list which the police are compiling against Henry A. Eaves, who is in the District Jail in default of \$2,000 bond awaiting trial on charges of procuring \$300 from two local auto dealers by means of alleged bogus checks.

According to information received last night at police headquarters from Acting Inspector Faurot, of the New York Detective Bureau, Eaves is wanted in the Metropolitan Police for passing a forged check for \$5,000 on the New York City and County Bank.

Eaves also is wanted in Cleveland, Buffalo, and other cities. According to the police, it is his practice to "purchase" an auto, giving in payment a check several hundred dollars in excess of the cost of the car. When he is given the change, the police assert, he leaves the saleroom, saying he will be back "in the morning."

CARPENTERS TO CONVENE.

Question of Pensioning Old Members to Be Discussed.

The seventeenth biennial convention of the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners will convene at the National Rifles Armory to-morrow morning. The principal questions up for discussion are the apprentice system of the brotherhood and the care of aged members.

It is thought probable that a system of pensioning married men in their own homes instead of providing a home for them will be adopted. The convention will also discuss the building of a home and a committee will report on this subject.

MEDALS FOR STUDENTS.

Awards Are Made by Faculty at Georgetown University.

Paul W. McQuillen, of Passaic, N. J., won the O'Brien memorial medal, established by Mrs. Lawrence O'Brien, at Georgetown University, for the highest scholarship honors. The second place for scholarship was given to Eugene M. Carr, of Washington. The awards were made by the faculty.

J. Frank Leary, of Washington, won the J. W. McGrath medal for excellence in physics. The silver medal for general excellence in the class of '14 was awarded to John M. Murphy. Other awards in this class were as follows:

English composition prize, Arthur J. Shannon, Seattle, Wash.; Kidwell gold medal for mechanics, St. John Litachi, Charleston, S. C.; silver medal for general chemistry, William Prendergast, Bridgton, Me.

Class of 1915—Silver medal for general excellence, John J. O'Day, Jr., Washington, D. C.; English composition prize, J. Eliot Wright, Washington, D. C.; silver medal for plane trigonometry, Bernard Schlesinger, Washington; silver medal for analytical geometry, John Petriz, Rockford, Ill.; silver medal for French, J. Eliot Wright, Washington; silver medal for German, Peter Karl, Utica, N. Y.

TRAIN KILLS LABORER.

Angelo Citollini Struck While Crossing Tracks in Muirkirk.

Angelo Citollini, eighteen years old, a laborer, was crushed and almost instantly killed shortly after 8 o'clock yesterday morning, when he was struck by a train while crossing the railroad tracks at Muirkirk, Md.

Citollini formerly lived at 219 First Street Northwest, but he recently procured employment with the firm of Smith & Busch in Muirkirk, and has since been living in the village. Just how the accident occurred has not been learned.

The train was stopped and the body taken aboard. Citollini was dead when picked up. The body was removed from Union Station to the morgue, where it is being held awaiting the claim of relatives.

VETERANS VISIT CAPITAL.

C. K. Bradbury, a former resident of this city, but now postmaster at Legaspi, Luzon, and Capt. C. A. Reynolds, former Governor of the province of Albay, Philippine Islands, are in Washington on their way back from the annual encampment of the Spanish War Veterans at Atlantic City. Both of them praise the action of the encampment in adopting a resolution urging the government of this country to keep its control of the Philippine Islands.

PREScriptions AND

Your needs in Family Medicines are problems quickly and accurately solved when presented to

YEATMAN'S
THE MEDICINE SHOP,
7th and M Sts. N. E.

We Give You The Herald's \$25.00 Credit.

MAGAZINES
Lowest Prices for Clubs.
Write for estimate on any magazine.

MEXICAN CHILE CON CARNE
MAYNERS LUNCH,
1205 N. Y. Ave.

JAIL BREAKERS CAPTURED.

Virginians Accused of Horse Stealing Are Retaken.

Deputy Sheriff Lambert, of Sterling, Loudoun County, last night notified the Washington police that Melville Clarke, eighteen years old; Millard P. Burgess, twenty-four years old, and Minor Mock, fourteen years old, alleged horse thieves, who broke jail at Fairfax about 4 o'clock yesterday morning, had been captured.

Clarke and Burgess, the police were informed, were apprehended by Deputy Sheriff Lambert while making toward the Blue Ridge Mountains. Young Mock, who declares he was forced to flee with the men, returned to the home of his father, about three-quarters of a mile from the jail, immediately after the escape, and was found there by the officials. According to the story told by young Mock, he was forced to accompany the men, as they were afraid he would give the alarm.

Celebrates Pastorale.

A special sermon by the pastor will mark the ninth anniversary of the pastorate of Rev. John Compton Ball, of the Metropolitan Baptist Church. The membership had more than tripled during his pastorate, and a handsome \$50,000 edifice erected.

THE PEOPLE'S FORUM

It Is an Idiotic Custom.

To the Editor: It is a little surprising that a newspaper of the class and character of The Herald should lend its influential columns to a sanction of the idiotic custom of discarding straw hats on September 15. You gravely announce: "The unwritten law declares that the hat shall be buried immediately. Any lifeless hat found in public places after to-day will be in jeopardy of most unholiness."

It would be just as sensible to say to the women of the town: "This is the last day for open-work stockings and white shoes. Any lifeless apparel of this nature found in public places after to-day will be put out of business in the most unholiness."

Custom, bah! I defy your foolish custom, and just to show my contempt therefor, I propose to wear last year's straw hat up to October 1 proximo, weather permitting, and any interference with my undeniable privilege and right in this regard will be taken care of according to the number and size of the offenders, even if I have to employ something more effective than "the manly art."

FRANCIS M. OTTINGER.

Alonzo O. Bliss
Properties.

**100 Apartments
For Rent**

All in perfect order, ready for occupancy. Any size, any price; any part of the city. Send for our rent list.

Office, Bliss Building,

35 B St. N. W. Linc. 1860.

Open Evenings and Sundays.



FREE

We want to give to every lady a handsome French Gilt Vanity Case. It has an imported convex mirror hinged top and is fitted with a powder sifter and a fine lamb's wool puff. It fits any hand bag or coin purse, and holds a week's supply of powder.

It retails for 50¢, but we will send one free to every lady that sends us an empty ZING-ZING box, together with one dime and six cents in stamps.

Ask your Druggist for ZING-ZING. If he happens to be out of it, tell him he can get it from his jobber. Show him this advertisement. The supply of Vanity cases is limited, send for yours at once.

GELBAUGH & SMITH, CHICAGO.